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ABSTRACT

This directory provides information on nine Federal library programs and 72 Federal library-related programs, as well as a bibliography of publications on the grants application process. While it provides a guide to funding sources, it is intended only to lead libraries to possible funding sources rather than serving as a complete information source. Of the four main sections, the first contains an annotated listing of 20 existing directories and other current publications relevant to library-related funding sources. The next lists nine Federal programs that provide direct support for library projects. Programs are arranged alphabetically by the name of the authorizing Act, and program descriptions include authorizing legislation, program purpose, fund uses, applicant eligibility requirements, grant type, level of funding, grant range, average grant, application/program source, and application closing date when available. The 72 library-related Federal programs listed in the next section are arranged alphabetically by program title, and include program descriptions providing the same information as the Federal program listings. A selected bibliography of publications on grantsmanship follows. Indexes by applicant eligibility, authorization, Federal agency, and subject area are also included, followed by a directory of state library agencies in the United States. (Author/MBR)

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I. INTRODUCTION

This Introduction will serve to tell the reader what the Directory is and what it is not. The Directory provides information regarding nine Federal library programs and 72 Federal library-related programs. Program summaries included in Section III and Section IV contain information found in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, 1978, American Library Association's Federal Grants: Where in the Bureaucracy to Find Them and its ALA Washington Newsletter, the Educational Media Yearbook, program summaries prepared by staff members of the Division of Library Programs, U.S. Office of Education, and a number of other sources.* Many of the programs in these Sections are currently funding, or have funded library projects. Libraries are eligible for funding under all of the included programs.

The Directory provides a guide to sources of funding, but only a guide. It is not meant to be a complete program information source, but is only intended to lead libraries to possible funding sources for projects which are proposed to meet their assessed needs. If any program in the Directory seems to be a likely funding source for a library project, the library should immediately contact the responsible administering agency to determine if the project falls within the program scope. The library should request program guidelines, lists/abstracts of previously funded projects, a current application packet (or a previous year's packet if the filing deadline has passed), and the filing date for the funding cycle. A timely call or letter to the appropriate administering agency is an essential first step in the search for project funds.

Directory Organization. Section II of this Directory contains an annotated listing of 20 existing directories and other current/recent publications relevant to library-related funding sources. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) is the primary listing of Federal program sources. Used in conjunction with other Section II publications, and Section III and IV program listings, the reader can obtain a good overview of library-related funding sources and specific programs available through the government. A number of Section II publications also include funding sources sponsored by the private sector.

Section III lists nine Federal programs that provide direct support for library projects. Programs are arranged alphabetically by the name of the authorizing Act. Program descriptions include the CFDA number, authorizing legislation, purpose of the program, uses to which funds may be applied, applicant eligibility requirements, the type of grant, level of funding, range of grants, average grant, application/program information source and application closing date when available.

Library-related Federal programs are listed in Section IV. Seventy-two programs are included for which libraries are eligible within the scope of each program. Programs are arranged alphabetically by program title, and program descriptions follow the format of Section III entries.

Section V is a bibliography of publications on the grants application process. It is not intended to be comprehensive but is included as a listing of publications that may be of interest and assistance to the reader as he or she develops a strategy in the search for project funding.

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*A listing of sources consulted in compiling the Directory is included in Section II.

Federal programs included in Sections III and IV are indexed in Section VI providing a number of access points to each program. The programs are indexed by: Federal agency responsible for the program; applicant eligibility, whether State, or local government, an organization, individual, or a combination; authorization -- an alphabetical listing of authorizing Acts for the programs; CFDA number; and subject.

State library agencies are the contact source for many of the included Federal programs. Section VII is a listing of all State/Territorial library agencies.

Types of Grants. Federal assistance for library programs/projects included in this Directory falls in one of two grant categories -- formula grants to States and discretionary grants. The administering agency, information/application source, application procedure and deadline will vary depending upon the grant category of the program(s).

Formula grants to States provide support for the establishment, expansion, innovation or improvement of Library programs and not confined to ongoing support of a specific project or projects. The appropriation for which each State is eligible is determined by a formula that takes into account a number of factors (e.g.: State population, income levels, numbers of students in public and private schools). Program formulas are detailed in each program's enabling legislation and each program formula is unique. In order to qualify for a formula grant, a State agency must submit an operating plan and other required documentation to the appropriate Federal agency detailing the State's proposed participation in the program. State/local matching funds are required under a number of formula grant programs. Libraries that want to explore funding possibilities under a State formula grant should contact the administering State agency -- usually the State Library or State Department of Education. The State agency will provide information on the program, the State criteria for selection of projects, State priorities for funding, application procedures, and the applicability of the specific library project to the State's overall program plan.

Discretionary grants (or project grants) are awarded directly from the Federal government to entities of the State and local goverment, and to public and private nonprofit institutions and organizations. Discretionary programs are intended for specific grant purposes, including experimental and demonstration grants, planning grants, survey grants, technical assistance grants, construction grants, fellowships, research grants, scholarships, traineeships and training grants. Application forms and information regarding any library-related discretionary program may be obtained by contacting the responsible Federal agency.

Application Process. A considerable amount of background preparation is necessary before the application process is reached. A library or group of libraries should have completed some form of needs assessment in order to describe reasonably the present services and to project future service patterns. Desired services should have been ranked in priority order and a plan of action to develop and implement these ranked services should have been drafted. From the plan of action, one or more high priority projects may likely be identified that require developmental or demonstration funds beyond the current library/libraries budget. It is these projects that are considered in relation to appropriate outside funding sources.

An applicant should consider a number of the following steps in the application process

when one or more likely funding sources have been identified for a proposed project: (1) contact the administering agency to determine the scope of their program and whether the proposed project falls within the scope; (2) discuss preapplication and application procedures and request necessary application forms; (3) find out the deadline date for submission of the application; (4) ask if there are any restrictions on use of program funds; (5) find out the range and average grant for a project; (6) request program guidelines (including legislated program rules and regulations), annotated lists of recently funded projects, and any other program material that would be of use in drafting and submitting a proposal; (7) find out if there are program matching requirements, and if so, whether cash or in-kind contributions are required; (8) ask if there are renewals or extensions of applications and the procedures involved; (9) follow all requirements of the program prior to and in submitting the application; (10) ask the administering agency for assistance whenever there is any question regarding the program or the application procedure -- applicants may telephone, write or visit the agency office directly to initiate the application process; and (11) above all, mail or deliver the application before the deadline date. Applications postmarked after the mailing date or hand delivered to the agency after the deadline date will not be considered for funding in that funding cycle.

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The compilers have attempted to include all Federal programs for which libraries are currently eligible. There may be, however, programs that we missed or programs that were listed about which the reader has some question regarding appropriateness of the program(s) for library-related projects. We welcome comments on any aspect of this Directory -- types of information included, omissions, Directory organization, indices to the programs, among other things. We want to make future editions of the Directory as useable and useful as possible. Please send your comments to:

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II. LIBRARY FUNDING SOURCES DIRECTORIES/PUBLICATIONS

There are a number of useful funding source directories and other publications that are directly or indirectly relevant to libraries and library services. This Section provides an annotated listing of 20 publications that will prove helpful to librarians who are searching for project funding support.

In conducting a systematic search of Federal programs, the first source to examine is the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA).

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, 1978. Office of Management and Budget. Loose leaf. Washington, D.C., Government Printing Office, annual with periodic revision, $20.00.

The Catalog is the most comprehensive listing of available Federal programs covering 1,046 Federal assistance programs administered by 55 Federal agencies. For each program included, the Catalog lists: the responsible Federal agency; program authorization; program objectives; types of assistance provided; uses and program use restrictions; applicant eligibility requirements; the application/award process (including a description of preapplication coordination, the application procedure, the award procedure, application deadlines, range of approval/disapproval notification time, appeals and renewals); assistance considerations (including formula and matching requirements); post assistance requirements (including requirements for reports, audits and records); financial information; program accomplishments; appropriate regulations and guidelines; information contacts; and related programs contained within the Catalog.

Federal programs are arranged in the Catalog by Department/Agency, numerically by CFDA number. Programs of possible interest to the user may be identified through examination of one or more of eight separate indices: an agency program index; applicant eligibility indices for individuals, for local governments, for State governments, and for nonprofit organizations and institutions; a functional index; a popular name index; and a subject index.

Six appendices provide very useful information both to the person searching for appropriate funding sources and to the grantee who is conducting a federally-funded project. The appendices identify Federal agency policy circulars applicable to given programs; program authorization; abbreviations and acronyms; agency regional and local office addresses; additional sources of program information; and program application deadlines.

Once the user has located one or more promising sources of funding, he or she should examine a well-formulated checklist of program application procedure steps included in the introductory section of the Catalog. The checklist covers many important considerations regarding a program as a potential funding source and the appropriateness/desirability of filing an application with a particular program office.

ALA Washington Newsletter. Issued by the Washington, D.C. Office of the American Library Association (Box 54, 110 Maryland Avenue, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002), irregular, minimum of twelve issues annually. Subscription, $8.00 per year.

The ALA Washington Newsletter provides up-to-date information on the

status of library-related legislation, funding authorizations and appropriations, new library and library-related programs, and other legislative issues that have impact on library programs and services.

American Library Association, Washington, D.C. Office. Legislative Report of the ALA Washington Office, issued semi-annually.

The Report is a summary of Federal legislation and legislative activity relative to library programs and services over a six-month period. Excellent features are the appended listing of Federal library-related programs and the status report on Federal legislation of interest to libraries. The Report and the ALA Washington Newsletter are excellent sources for anyone who wants up-to-date information on Federal support for library programs.

Annual Register of Grant Support, 1977/78, 11th edition. Chicago, Marquis Academic Media, Marquis Who's Who, 1977. approximately $50.00 (revised annually).

One of the most comprehensive sources of non-repayable financial support, this guide directs the user to approximately 2,400 programs including those applicable to libraries. Each description includes: information on the type, purpose and duration of the grant; amount of funding available; eligibility requirements; number of applicants and recipients in the most recent year for which statistics are available; application procedures and deadlines; personnel of the funding organization with the address, founding date and telephone number; data concerning the interests of the organization as well as cooperative funding programs. Four indices make the information readily accessible.

The A-V Connection: The Guide to Federal Funds for A-V Programs, 1977 edition. Fairfax, Virginia, National Audio-Visual Association, 1977. n.p., $15.00 (National Audio-Visual Association, 3150 Spring Street, Fairfax, Virginia 22030).

Detailed information is included on 32 U.S. Office of Education programs that NAVA has identified as likely funding sources for purchase of audiovisual equipment and materials. Comprehensive information about each program is presented in a standard format similar to the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, though the scope has been focused on audio-visual projects and a considerable amount of useful material not in the CFDA has been added.

The Bowker Annual of Library and Book Trade Information, 22nd edition, 1977. Edited and compiled by Nada Beth Glick and Sara L. Prakken. New York, R. R. Bowker, 1977. $24.95.

A regular feature of the Bowker Annual is a section on library legislation, funding and grants. Federal legislation and Federal library programs are discussed in some detail. An overview of Federal library-related programs is followed by a discussion of foundation support for libraries and a listing of foundations that have funded library projects during the previous year.

Case, Sara, Federal Grants: Where in the Bureaucracy to Find Them; A Brief Guide to Selected Federal Grants, 2nd edition. Washington, D.C., ALA Wash-

ington Office, 1977. $2.00, while the supply lasts.

This guide to 27 Federal library-related programs includes a detailed description of the parameters of each program listing eligibility requirements, types of projects funded, amount of funding available, and where to write for additional information on the program. One feature of the guide is its table of contents which indicates where the funding decisions are made for each program -- i.e., State agency, local governing agency, or Federal agency in Washington, D.C. American Libraries, November 1977 issue contains an up-to-date "but not comprehensive" listing of Federal and private sources of library funding compiled by Sara Case entitled, "Grants and How to Get Them: An Update."

Catalog of Federal Education Assistance Programs, U.S. Office of Education, Washington, D.C., Government Printing Office, published annually, 1976. $7.30. 1977 edition in process.

This Catalog is based on the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance and contains descriptions of programs administered by the U.S. Office of Education and other Federal agencies that support educational services, professional training or library services. Programs are indexed by program name keywords, authorizing Act, public law, U.S. code, administering agency, eligible applicants, and general program key words.

Cawley, Rebecca, compiler. Guide to Funding Sources for American Indian Library and Information Services, Washington, D.C., U.S. Department of the Interior; Minneapolis Minnesota, National Indian Education Association; November, 1974, 70p.

Program descriptions of 30 Federal programs and six private foundations are included in this Guide. Federal program information follows the general form and scope of the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance. Most of the Federal programs listed for FY 1974 are currently active, and are likely funding sources for library projects.

Commerce Business Daily, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C., Government Printing Office. Published daily excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays. $105.00 first class mail.

The Daily is a listing of U.S. Government procurements invitations, contract awards, subcontracting leads, sales of surplus property and foreign business opportunities. Request for Proposal (RFP) notices relative to contracts for library-related activities, studies, etc., occasionally appear in the Daily.

Educational Media Yearbook, 1977. James W. Brown, editor. New York, R. R. Bowker, 1977. $19.95.

A "Directory of Funding Sources" is included on pages 365-392 of the Yearbook, listing sources of funding for audio-visual, instructional technology, library and telecommunications projects. The Directory includes information on 91 foundations, listing contact information and types of media programs supported in recent years. An annotated listing of Federal agencies that support media programs is included; information on specific programs is not

mentioned, however. A selected, annotated bibliography of books, periodicals, directories and organizations that provide grant and contract information services is quite useful.

Elnor, Nancy. While You're Up, Get Me a Grant: a Basic Bibliography on Grants, compiled by Nancy Elnor, Elizabeth Katz and Martha Powers. 2nd printing, 1976. 10p. Bay Area SRRT, 2745 Stuart #3, Berkeley, CA 94705. $1.50.

Intended as a starting point for persons interested in library grant programs, this bibliography includes references to directories, books on grantsmanship, foundations, resource centers, special collections in libraries (principally California) and library fund-raising sources. Most entries have a brief annotation describing the service or special feature of the item described.

Federal Register. Washington D.C., Office of the Federal Register, National Archives and Records Service. (for sale by Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office) $50/yr.

Published daily except Saturday, Sunday and Federal holidays, the Federal Register is a publication established in the 1930's by Congress to inform the public about regulations of the Executive Branch and independent agencies of the U.S. Government. It provides information on changes in rules and regulations, proposed rules and regulations, and deadlines for submitting projects under specific grant or contract programs. It is indexed monthly, quarterly and annually. The Office of Education is required by law to list all closing dates for its projects in the Federal Register. Individual copies of an issue of the Federal Register are sometimes available free from your Congressman or Senator.

Grants Register, 1977-1979. 5th edition. Ronald Turner, editor. New York, St. Martins Press, 1976. 800p. $25.00.

Published every two years, this publication provides information on scholarships, fellowships, research grants, exchange opportunities, grants-in-aid, competitions, and other awards offered by government agencies, international, national and private organizations. Primarily, it is intended for graduate and post-graduate level students. The coverage is international with emphasis on English-speaking countries. Each entry includes descriptive information about the award, requirements for eligibility, how to apply, and an address to contact for further information. The sixth edition is scheduled to be available in Autumn 1978.

The Grantsmanship Center News. Published six times a year by the Grantsmanship Center, 1015 West Olympic Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90015. $15.00.

Selected topics relative to public and private funding sources are discussed at length in each issue of the News. Regular features present useful information for the grant seeker: Funding Notes, brief news items about government and private funding; Federal Regulations Summary, brief summaries of program guidelines published in the Federal Register; Deadlines, filing

deadlines for Federal grant programs; and New Publications, annotated listing of grants-related publications.

Hillman, Howard. The Art of Winning Government Grants, by Howard Hillman and Kathryn Natale. New York, Vanguard Press, 1977.

Hillman's book is included in this Section because it has a comprehensive, annotated list of 66 sources of information regarding government and private funding (Information Sources, pages 118-191). The information is up-to-date and includes a number of sources not listed in this Section that the reader may want to examine.

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development Service. The Federal Assistance Programs Retrieval System (FAPRS).

FAPRS is not a publication, but is a computer data-base service permitting on-line, interactive searching of the Federal funding sources contained in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance. FAPRS is designed to provide information to local communities on the current rural/urban development programs for which the communities are eligible. Persons may query the system using computer terminals in a number of Federal, State and multi-county organizations. For information on FAPRS, contact: FAPRS, Rural Development Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250; telephone: (202) 447-9296.

United States Government Manual. Office of the Federal Register, National Archives and Records Service. Washington, D.C., Government Printing Office, published annually. 1977/78, $6.50.

The Manual provides a description of the purpose and programs of most government agencies and a list of the administrative personnel for each agency included. Name, subject and agency indices provide good access points to all of the agency information.

U.S. Office of Education. Direct, Discretionary Grant Programs: Closing Dates for Receipt of Applications for Fiscal Year 1978. (Federal Register, Oct. 12, 1977, pt. 2) Washington, D.C. 33p.

Periodically the Federal Register publishes this announcement of closing dates for OE grant programs. It first lists in chronological order the closing dates of the programs, then a list of programs for which closing dates are not yet available, and finally a detailed description of application procedures on all programs listed, arranged in order by closing date.

U.S. Office of Education. Guide to OE-Administered Programs. Annual, published in American Education early each calendar year; reprinted for distribution by OE.

This guide groups all Office of Education programs into four major categories: 1) Institutional support; 2) Individual support; 3) Research support; and 4) Construction support. It is arranged in simple graphic style showing type and purpose of assistance, authorizing legislation, appropriation, who may apply, and where to apply.

III. FEDERAL LIBRARY PROGRAMS

This Section includes information on nine Federal programs that provide support exclusively for library services and activities. Program descriptions present basic information on the purpose, scope and size of the program, who may apply, and where to apply. If the reader has an interest in any of the programs listed, contact the appropriate administering agency for additional information. Agencies will generally supply program guidelines and listings of previously funded projects and will discuss the appropriateness of a particular project to the program scope and priorities.

FY 1979 program obligations are projected, not approved amounts, unless otherwise noted.

Indices that permit a multiple access approach to each of the programs listed in this Section and in Section IV are included in Section VI of the Directory.

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Elementary and Secondary Education Act - ESEA - Title IV B -- Libraries and Learning Resources (13.570) ESEA - 1965; P.L. 89-10 as amended by P.L. 93-380, Section 401	Higher Education Act - HEA - Title II A -- College Library Resources (13.406) HEA-1965; P.L. 89-329 as amended
PURPOSE	(ESEA IV B consolidates: ESEA Title II, School Library Resources, Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials; NDEA Title III, Equipment and Minor Remodeling; and ESEA III, Guidance, Counseling, and Testing sections.) To assist in the acquisition of school library resources, textbooks, published instructional materials and instructional equipment for use by children and teachers in public and private elementary and secondary schools. To assist in the development/implementation of a program of testing, counseling and guidance services for students in elementary and secondary schools. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	To provide funding support to institutions of higher education in the acquisition of library resources (including law library resources) such as books, periodicals, documents, magnetic tapes, phonograph records, and audio-visual materials, including necessary processing and binding. Three types of grants, in priority order, can be awarded: 1) basic grants up to $5,000 to every eligible institution; 2) supplemental grants up to $20 per student with no matching required; or 3) special purpose grants that require matching of every three Federal dollars with one institutional dollar. Only basic grants have been awarded since FY 1976. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State Departments of Education -- includes eligible public and private nonprofit elementary and secondary schools, correctional institutions, and special schools for exceptional and handicapped children. Local educational agencies have complete discretion in determining how funds will be divided among various program purposes.	Institutions of higher education and institutions, organizations and other public or private nonprofit agencies that meet maintenance-of-effort requirements for library purposes.
GRANT TYPE	State plan formula grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $167,500,000; FY 1979 - 167,600,000	FY 1978 - $9,975,000; FY 1979 - $9,975,000
RANGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
AVERAGE	Not applicable	Basic grant in FY 1977 -- $3,855
APPLICATION SOURCE	State Department of Education in each State Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources School Media Resources Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2488	U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Library Education and Postsecondary Resources Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9530
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date varies among States.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 11/6/78; annual date varies.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Higher Education Act - HEA - Title II B -- Library Research and Demonstration (13.475) HEA-1965; P.L. 89-329 as amended	Higher Education Act - HEA - Title II B -- Library Training (Library Institute and Fellowship Program) (13.468) HEA-1965; P.L. 89-329 as amended
PURPOSE	Research and development grants designed to improve library practices/principles and to develop new techniques, systems, and equipment for processing, storing, distributing, and disseminating information. Current program priorities: studies and demonstrations of improved services (particularly to groups and persons with special needs); institutional cooperation; improvement in methods and procedures; and improvement of library education. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To provide support for the training of professionals and paraprofessionals in library and information science areas for services to all types of libraries. Grants may be made for fellowships, traineeships, and short- and long-term training institutes for library personnel. Program priorities: increase opportunities of minority group and/or disadvantaged persons for advanced training in library and information science; provide opportunity for persons within the library and information science field to upgrade/update their competencies. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Institutions of higher education and other nonprofit institutions, organizations and public and private agencies; contracts may be negotiated only with profit agencies and organizations.	Institutions of higher education and other nonprofit library organizations or agencies that have (or are planning to develop) an established program of library education, or that have adequate facilities/resources necessary to conduct a training program consistent with the purposes of the Act.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $1,000,000; FY 1979 - $1,000,000	FY 1978 - $2,000,000; FY 1979 - $2,000,000
RANGE	$1,800 to $320,000	Institute: $12,500 to $115,000 Fellowship: $16,000 to $103,300
AVERAGE	$74,100	Institute: $30,000 Fellowship: $27,593
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Library Research and Demonstration Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2993	U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Library Education and Postsecondary Resources Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9530
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 12/11/78; annual date varies.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 12/1/78; annual date varies.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Higher Education Act - HEA - Title II C -- Strengthening Research Library Resources (13.576) HEA - 1965; P.L. 89-329 as amended by P.L. 94-482, Sec. 108	Library Services and Construction Act - LSCA - Title I -- Public Library Services (13.464) LSCA, P.L. 84-597 as amended by P.L. 91-600 and P.L. 95-123 among other relevant legislation.
PURPOSE	To promote higher quality research and education through grants designed to assist major research libraries in maintaining and strengthening their research collections, and in extending their holdings to individual researchers/ scholars and to other libraries' users who have need for research materials. Grant funds may be used for acquisition of books and other materials, maintenance of material, indexing and abstracting, distribution of materials, equipment and supplies, additional staff, and communications as well as other related uses. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To assist States in the extension and improvement of public library services to: areas without service or areas with inadequate service; disadvantaged persons in urban and rural areas; persons of limited English-speaking ability; residents of State institutions; physically handicapped persons; the aging; to strengthen metropolitan libraries that serve as resource centers; and to strengthen State library administrative agencies. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Only major research libraries are eligible. Program regulations define "major research library" as: a public or private nonprofit institution, including library resources of an institution of higher education, an independent research library, or a State or other public library; has library collections which are available to qualified users; makes a significant contribution to higher education and research; is broadly based and recognized as having national or international significance for scholarly research, contains unique material; and is in substantial demand by researchers and scholars.	State library administrative agencies that have authority to administer Federal funds, develop public library service, and together with participating libraries, have financial resources to match Federal funds on a formula basis. Any State desiring to receive its allotment under this State-administered program must submit an annual program plan and be operating under an approved basic State plan and a long-range program updated annually.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	State plan formula grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $5,000,000; FY 1979 - $5,000,000	FY 1978 - $56,900,000; FY 1979 - $56,900,000
RANGE	$200,000 to $300,000 (first year of program)	Not applicable
AVERAGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Division of Library Programs 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9687	State Library administrative agency in each State Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources State and Public Library Services Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 472-5150
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date FY 1979 is 3/1/79; annual date varies.)	Closing date varies among States

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Library Services and Construction Act - LSCA - Title II -- Public Library Construction (13.408) LSCA, P.L. 84-597 as amended	Library Services and Construction Act - LSCA - Title III -- Interlibrary Cooperation (13.465) LSCA, P.L. 84-597 as amended by P.L. 91-600 and P.L. 95-123 among other relevant legislation
PURPOSE	To assist States in the construction of public libraries in areas without service or with inadequate service. Authorized program activities include construction of new buildings, renovation, alteration, or acquisition of existing buildings, purchase of land, initial equipment (excluding books) and architectural fees. Program activities added in FY 1978 include the remodeling of public libraries necessary to meet standards adopted pursuant to the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968, and remodeling designed to conserve energy in the operation of public libraries under approved State plans. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To assist States in the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of public, academic, school and special libraries, and information centers at the local, regional, State, or interstate level. To aid in the development/implementation of cooperative activities among these libraries and information centers. Funds may be used for equipment and services, but not for construction or library materials. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State library administrative agencies that have authority to administer Federal funds, develop public library service, and together with participating libraries, have financial resources to match Federal funds on a formula basis. Program is not currently funded. Authorization (under P.L. 95-123): FY 1978 - FY 1981, such sums as may be necessary; FY 1982, $97,000,000.	State library administrative agencies that have authority to administer Federal funds and develop public library services. State matching of Federal funds is not required. Any State desiring to receive its allotment under this State-administered program must submit an annual program plan and be operating under an approved basic State plan and a long-range program updated annually.
GRANT TYPE	State plan formula grant program	State plan formula grant program
OBLIGATION	No appropriations have been made since 1973	FY 1978 - $3,337,000; FY 1979 - $3,337,000
RANGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
AVERAGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	State Library administrative agency in each State Information on construction funds also available from: U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources State and Public Library Services Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 472-5150	State Library administrative agency in each State Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources State and Public Library Services Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 472-5150
(CLOSING DATE)		(Closing date varies among States)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Medical Library Assistance (13.879) Medical Library Assistance Act of 1965, P.L. 93-353 as amended	
PURPOSE	To improve health information services by providing funds to strengthen libraryresources, train personnel, improve information transfer, support biomedical publications, and provide a biomedical information network. Six types of grants are available: 1) Resources Grants to establish or expand libraries with inadequate resources; 2) Scientific Publications Grants to promote nonprofit scientific writing and publications projects related to health fields, including critical reviews, abstracts, indices, bibliographies, catalogs, data compendia, etc.; 3) Research Grants for basic and applied research into more effective methods for disseminating health knowledge, including biomedical librarianship, application of new technology, biomedical communication, etc.; 4) Training Grants to promote the integration of computer technology with all phases of clinical medicine; and 5) Regional Medical Library Contracts to provide assistance in the form of information disseminated from the libraries to health professionals.	
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	For Resource Grants: any public or private nonprofit institution which maintains or plans to establish a collection or provide services to clientele in the health professions. For Scientific Publications Grants: appropriate public or private nonprofit institutions of higher education on behalf of principal investigator. For Regional Medical Library Contracts: eligibility described in Request For Proposal. For Research Grants: public or private nonprofit institutions with research capabilities in health information fields. For Training Grants: non-Federal public or nonprofit private institutions.	
GRANT TYPE **OBLIGATION** **RANGE** **AVERAGE**	Discretionary grant program FY 1978 - $7,987,000; FY 1979 - $7,987,000 $2,500 to $450,000 $55,000	
APPLICATION SOURCE **(CLOSING DATE)**	National Library of Medicine Extramural Programs 8600 Rockville Pike Bethesda, Maryland 20014 Telephone: (301) 496-4671 (Closing dates for new applications: November 1, March 1, July 1; for renewal applications: October 1, February 1, June 1. Regional Medical Library Contracts deadlines specified in Request For Proposal.)	

IV. FEDERAL LIBRARY-RELATED PROGRAMS

This Section presents information on 72 library-related Federal programs. Libraries are eligible for each of the programs listed, but must meet the purpose, scope and program priorities in order to be considered for funding. These programs permit potential projects to take an imaginative approach to library services and activities for diverse user groups. In fact, a totally imaginative approach is the only way in which libraries will qualify for some of the included programs.

FY 1979 program obligations are projected, not approved amounts, unless otherwise noted.

Contact the appropriate administering agency for further information regarding any of the programs listed in this Section or in Section III.

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Adult Education (13.400) Adult Education Act, Title III, P.L. 91-230, as amended	Appalachian Regional Development (23.002) Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, P.L. 89-4, Section 214, as amended
PURPOSE	To expand educational opportunities so that all adults may continue their education to the level of completion of secondary school and, to make available the means to secure training that will enable adults to become more employable, productive, and responsible citizens. Special emphasis is given to programs of instruction in computational skills and in speaking, reading, and writing the Engish language for adults whose inability to do such constitutes a substantial impairment of their ability to train for, obtain and retain employment. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	To provide supplemental funds (or entire grant when Federal funds are unavailable) to increase Federal grants-in-aid programs for construction of community development facilities that meet the basic needs of local areas, such as water and sewer systems, industrial sites, creation centers, libraries, etc. To be eligible, projects must be included in State's Appalachian development plan. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Designated State educational agencies able to match Federal funds on a formula basis. Any State desiring to receive its allotment must submit an Annual Program Plan for approval by the Commissioner of Education. Local educational agencies and private nonprofit agencies may apply to State adult education director for project funding to benefit adults 16 years of age and over with less than 12th grade level competency and/or secondary school certificate.	States, and through States, their subdivisions and instrumentalities, and private nonprofit agencies in designated counties in Appalachian areas. At least 20 percent of the eligible development costs must be obtained from sources other than the Federal Government.
GRANT TYPE	State plan formula grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $80,500,000; FY 1979 - $90,750,000	FY 1978 - $41,339,786; FY 1979 - $40,610,000
RANGE	Not applicable	$1,440 to $1,200,000
AVERAGE	Not applicable	$224,925
APPLICATION SOURCE **(CLOSING DATE)**	State Departments of Education--State Director of Adult Education Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Occupational and Adult Education Division of Adult Education 400 Maryland, Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2950 (Closing date varies among States. Annual Program Plan must be received by the U.S. Office of Education before the first day of the fiscal year for which funds are requested.)	Inquiries and proposals for projects should be submitted first to the Appalachian State office designated by the Governor. Other inquiries may be addressed to: Appalachian Regional Commission Executive Director 1666 Connecticut Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20235 Telephone: (202) 673-7874 Proposed projects must be included in State's program which is submitted annually by November 15, and projects should be submitted to the Commission by June 15.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Arts Education Program (13.566) Special Projects Act, Title IV, Section 409 of the Education Amendments of 1974, P.L. 93-380, as amended	Bilingual Education (13.403) Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, Title VII, P.L. 89-10 as amended by P.L. 93-380
PURPOSE	To encourage (in cooperation with the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts) the establishment of arts education programs in elementary and secondary schools. Funds may be used to establish, conduct, or improve arts education programs that are designed to involve all students at all grade levels in the school(s) served; b) address the spectrum of major art forms, including dance, music, drama, visual arts, and c) integrate the major arts into the regular educational curricula. Funds may also be used to provide developmental and technical assistance for such art education programs in public schools, and for reimbursement of art groups and organizations for assistance in planning and conducting programs. Funds to State and local educational agencies must be used for statewide activities, planning, and coordination.	To develop and carry out bilingual education programs, primarily at the elementary and secondary school level, which meet the educational needs of persons of limited English-speaking ability. Programs should demonstrate effective ways of instruction that stimulate competence in English while utilizing the student's native language. Funding is to supplement existing funds and three types of assistance are available: project grants, research contracts and formula grants. Bilingual education program funds cover a wide range of activities including: a) establishment, operation, and improvement of bilingual instruction; b) preparation of personnel (teacher training and career development, fellowships, short-term training institutes); c) curriculum and materials development, assessment and dissemination; d) auxiliary community activities (adult and pre-school programs included); and e) planning and technical assistance for the development of bilingual education programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State Departments of Education and local educational agencies (usually public school districts). Trust Territories may apply as State educational agencies; criteria for State-level grants govern applications. Any State educational agency applying for a grant must submit a State plan for the arts, if available. Local education agencies must provide review copies of application to appropriate State education agency and State Alliance for the Arts Education Committee (if one exists).	All State education agencies, local education agencies or institutions of higher education (including Junior and Community Colleges applying jointly or after consultation with one or more local educational agencies), the Department of the Interior, a nonprofit institution or organization of an Indian tribe when it operates an elementary or secondary school on the reservation and is approved by the Commissioner of Education. Public and private agencies, institutions and organizations are eligible for research contracts.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant/contract program; Formula grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $750,000, FY 1979 - $750,000	FY 1978 - $135,000,000; FY 1979 - $150,000,000
RANGE	$5,000 to $10,000	$25,000 to $2,000,000
AVERAGE	Not applicable	$168,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Arts and Humanities Staff 400 Maryland, Avenue, S.W. Washington D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-8912	U.S. Office of Education Office of Bilingual Education 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2600
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 11/21/78; annual date varies.)	(Closing date for FY 1978 was 11/15/78; annual date varies.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Career Education (13.554) Special Projects Act, Title IV, Section 406 Education Amendments of 1974, P.L. 93-380	Community Development Block Grants (14.218, 14.219) Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, Title I, P.L. 93-383
PURPOSE	To demonstrate the most effective methods and techniques in career education and to promote the development of exemplary career education models. Demonstration projects which are designed to result in model programs are eligible, including models in which handicapped children receive appropriate career education. Funds may not be used to support research and development projects or to provide general operational support for implementation of career education activities.	To develop viable urban communities, including decent housing and a suitable living environment, and expanded economic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income. Within Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations, local governing officials decide how funds awarded to the local government will be spent. Construction funds for neighborhood facilities, projects to remove architectural barriers to handicapped and elderly persons, and limited provision for public services are eligible purposes for which libraries may qualify.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State and Territorial education agencies, local educational agencies, institutions of higher education, and other nonprofit agencies and organizations.	Units of local government may be eligible for one of two grants: 1) Block grant entitlements (CFDA #14.218) to eligible communities based on a grant formula taking population, poverty level and overcrowding into account; and 2) discretionary grants (CFDA #14.219) to communities not eligible for entitlements.
GRANT TYPE **OBLIGATION** **RANGE** **AVERAGE**	Discretionary grant program FY 1978 - $10,135,000; FY 1979 - -0- $999 to $396,065 $90,893	Formula grant program CFDA #14.218 - FY 1978 - $2,792,911,000; FY 1979 - $2,733,760,000 CFDA # 14.219 - FY 1978 - $765,160,000; FY 1979 - $814,690,000 CFDA #14.218 - Determined by formula CFDA #14.219 - for FY 1977 - $100,000 to $600,000 $200,000
APPLICATION SOURCE **(CLOSING DATE)**	Office of Career Education U.S. Office of Education 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2331 Telephone: (202) 245-2331 (Closing date for FY 78 was January 18, 1978; annual date varies.)	Mayors, county managers and other local governing officials Information also available from: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Community Planning and Development 451 7th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20410 Telephone: (202) 755-6587 (Application closing dates are included in published regulations.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Community Education (13.563) Special Projects Act, Title IV, Section 405, Education Amendments of 1974, P.L. 93-380	Community Facilities Loans (10.423) Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, Section 306, P.L. 92-419
PURPOSE	To establish community education programs as centers for educational, recreational, cultural and other related community activities and services in accordance with the needs, interests and concerns of the community. To assist State and local educational agencies in planning, establishing, expanding or operating a community education program; to assist institutions of higher education in the development and establishment of training programs for persons who will plan and operate community education programs. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	To construct, enlarge, extend, or otherwise improve community facilities that provide essential services to rural residents, including (but not limited to): fire and rescue services; transportation; traffic control; community, social, cultural, health and recreational benefits; industrial park sites; access ways; and utility extensions. This program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State and local educational agencies and institutions of higher education.	Public and quasi-public bodies and associations, including corporations, Indian tribes on Federal and State reservations and other federally recognized Indian tribes, and private nonprofit corporations serving communities of under 10,000 population or rural areas. Applicants must have legal authority necessary for constructing, operating and maintaining the facility and for repaying the loan, and be unable to finance proposed project from their own resources or through commercial credit at reasonable rates and terms.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Loans
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $3,500,000; FY 1979 - $3,553,000	FY 1978 - $250,000,000; FY 1979 - $250,000,000
RANGE	$7,800 to $81,800	$5,000 to $18,000,000
AVERAGE	$37,793	$542,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Occupational and Adult Education Community Education Program 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-0691	Applications and information from local and county State Farmers Home Administration Offices (consult local telephone directory). Information also available from: Department of Agriculture Farmers Home Administration Washington, D.C. 20250 Telephone: (202) 447-7667
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 1/5/79. Annual date varies.)	(Applications may be submitted at any time.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Community Services and Continuing Education (13.491) Higher Education Act of 1965, Title I, P.L. 89-329 as amended by P.L. 90-575, 92-318, and 94-482	Comprehensive Employment and Training Programs (17.232) Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973 - CETA, P.L. 93-203 as amended by P.L. 93-567 and P.L. 94-444
PURPOSE	To assist in the solution of community problems such as employment, health, housing, land use, poverty, recreation, transportation and youth opportunity. To support the expansion of continuing education programs in colleges and universities, and to support resource materials sharing programs. Resource materials sharing programs are intended for improved use of existing educational materials, communications technology, local facilities, and human resources that will expand adult learning opportunities. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To provide job training and employment opportunities for economically disadvantaged, unemployed and underemployed persons, and to assure that training and job experience provide maximum employment opportunities. Titles I, II and VI of CETA support on-the-job training and temporary public service employment for unemployed and underemployed persons.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Institutions of higher education or combinations thereof may apply to the State agency charged with responsibility of administering State projects.	States and units of local government (or combinations of local government units) with a population of 100,000 or more persons are eligible, and are designated as prime sponsors. A prime sponsor agreement and an annual plan for each Title must be submitted to qualify the sponsor for funding.
GRANT TYPE	State plan formula grant program	Formula grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $18,000,000; FY 1979 - $16,000,000	FY 1978 - $10,119,830,000; FY 1979 $10,808,114,000
RANGE	State Grants - $25,981 to $1,395,067 Subgrants - $2,000 to $125,000	Not applicable
AVERAGE	$20,000	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	State Postsecondary Education Commission or other Higher Education Agency Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Higher and Continuing Education CSCE Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9868	Prime sponsor -- qualifying city/county units or State Information also available from: Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration 601 D Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20213 Telephone: (202) 376-7006
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 4/2/79; annual date varies.)	(Annual closing date is set by the Secretary of Labor.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Consumers' Education (13.564) Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, Section 811, as amended by the Education Amendments of 1974, Title IV, Section 402, Special Projects Act, P.L. 93-380.	Education for Gifted and Talented Children and Youth (13.562) Education Amendments of 1974, Title IV Section 404, P.L. 93-380
PURPOSE	To provide consumers' education to the general public and special groups, and to students involved in all aspects of the educational system, from elementary and secondary education through higher education to adult and community education. Funds are available to support: a) the initiation and expansion of consumers' education programs at all educational levels; b) activities designed to provide consumers' education to the general public including use of mass media; c) the development, demonstration, evaluation, and dissemination of new and improved curricula; and d) training of teachers, leadership personnel, labor bodies, employees, etc. This program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	To support State and local planning, development, operation, and improvement of programs and projects designed to meet the special educational needs of gifted and talented children and youth at pre-school, elementary, and secondary levels; development and dissemination of information pertaining to such education; inservice training of educational personnel working with the gifted and talented and their supervisors; leadership training, including internships; and model or exemplary projects for the identification and education of the gifted and talented. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State and local educational agencies, institutions of higher education, and public and private nonprofit agencies, organizations, and institutions, including libraries. (Note: libraries are specifically mentioned in the Act as an eligible agency.)	Public and private agencies for establishment and operation of model projects. State educational agencies (and consortia thereof) for training personnel engaged in or preparing to engage in educating gifted and talented children. State educational agencies (and consortia thereof) and local educational agencies for planning development, operation, and improvement of programs at preschool, elementary and secondary school levels. Institutions of higher education and other appropriate nonprofit agencies for internships and for training of leadership personnel.
GRANT TYPE **OBLIGATION** **RANGE** **AVERAGE**	Discretionary grant/contract program FY 1978 - $4,068,000; FY 1979 - $3,135,000 $4,440 to $190,081 $45,448	Discretionary grant/contract program FY 1978 - $2,560,000; FY 1979 - $2,450,000 $6,000 to $190,000 $43,389
APPLICATION SOURCE **(CLOSING DATE)**	U.S. Office of Education Office of Consumers' Education 400 Maryland Ave., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-0636 (Closing date for FY 1979 is 12/11/78; annual date varies.)	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Education for the Handicapped Office of the Deputy Commissioner Gifted and Talented Staff 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2482 (Closing date for FY 1979 is 1/8/79; annual date varies.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Educational Broadcasting Facilities (13.413) Communications Act of 1934, as amended, Title III, Part IV, Educational Broadcasting Facilities and Telecommunications Demonstration Act of 1976, P.L. 94-309	Educational Innovation and Support (13.571) Elementary and Secondary Education Act, Title IV, Part C, as amended by P.L. 93-380
PURPOSE	To support the acquisition and installation of electronic equipment for use by noncommercial educational broadcasting stations, thereby stimulating national growth of broadcast stations technically and programmatically capable of effectively serving the educational, cultural, and informational needs of Americans of all ages in homes and schools. Funds may not be used for construction or repair of structures which house such apparatus, nor for broadcast station operation.	To support supplementary educational centers and services, innovative projects, dropout prevention projects, health and nutrition programs, and strengthening of State and local educational agencies. Use of funds is as follows: 1) no greater than 15 percent for strengthening educational agencies' capabilities including comprehensive planning and evaluation; 2) administration of program; and 3) remainder of funds awarded on a competitive basis for projects meeting the Act's priorities (listed above). Fifteen percent must be spent on special projects for education of handicapped or learning disabled children. Expenditures must be equal for both public and non-public school children. This program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Assistance can be awarded to: 1) Agencies or offices responsible for supervision of public education within a State or political subdivision 2) State educational TV and/or radio stations 3) Public or private nonprofit colleges or universities or their affiliated educational or cultural institution 4) Nonprofit corporations orgnized primarily to operate an educational TV or radio station, and 5) Municipalities which own or operate a facility used only for noncommercial broadcasting.	State education agencies. Any State desiring to receive funds must establish a State Title IV Advisory Council and submit a State Program Plan designating the State educational agency as the sole administrator of the plan. In addition a State Program Plan must be submitted which provides assurances for non-public participation, procedures for evaluation of projects and subsequent dissemination activities, and assurances that Federal funds will not be commingled with State funds.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	For mula grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $18,000,000; FY 1979 - $0	FY 1978 - $192,176,558; FY 1979 - $197,901,629
RANGE	Educational radio: $5,000 to $150,000 Educational TV: $55,000 to $500,000	$840,537 to $17,817,526
AVERAGE	Educational radio: $80,000 Educational TV: $275,000	$3,749,801
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Educational Broadcasting Facilities Branch 400 Maryland, Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9225	Applications available from appropriate State Department of Education. Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Division of State Educational Assistance Programs 400 Maryland Ave., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2592
(CLOSING DATE)	(Applications may be submitted at any time. Annual closing date varies.)	(An Annual Program Plan is required prior to the beginning of the fiscal year. No specific due date is established, but the effective date of approval can not be earlier than July 1.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Educational Research and Development (13.950) General Education Provisions Act, Section 405, as amended by the Education Amendments of 1976, P.L. 94-482	Educational Television and Radio Programming (13.541) The Special Projects Act, Section 402 P.L. 93-380 (Education Amendments of 1974)
PURPOSE	To improve education in the U.S. so that every person is provided an equal opportunity to receive an education of high quality. Grants and contracts are awarded to support educational research and development, and related dissemination, utilization, evaluation, and implementation. The Institute focuses funding on: 1) improvement of student achievement in basic skills; 2) overcoming management problems in educational institutions; 3) improving ability of schools to provide equal educational opportunities to all minorities and disadvantaged persons; 4) career preparation for youths; and 5) improved dissemination and application of educational research results. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	To support the development, production, evaluation, dissemination, and utilization of innovative educational television and/or radio programs designed for broadcast and/or nonbroadcast uses to help children, youths, or adults to learn. Programming supported under this Act must be suitable for national dissemination and meet priorities established annually by the Commissioner of Education.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Public and private, profit and nonprofit organizations, institutions, agencies, and individuals, including State educational agencies, local educational agencies and international organizations and agencies.	State and local governments, public and private agencies, profit and nonprofit organizations, associations, institutions, and individuals.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant/contract program	Contracts
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $76,600,000; FY 1979 - $86,400,000	FY 1978 - $5,000,000; FY 1979 - $5,000,000
RANGE	Grants: $1,500 to $3,000,000 Contracts: $2,500 to $2,000,000	Not applicable
AVERAGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Institute of Education Office of Government and Public Affairs 1200 19th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20208 Telephone: (202) 254-5800	U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Educational Technology Development Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9228
(CLOSING DATE)	(Formal funding cycle application deadlines are April 30 and October 31. Director will announce other deadlines in applicable guidelines, notices or grant proposal solicitations. Unsolicited proposals may be submitted at any time.)	(Deadline is generally 60 days from date Request For Proposal is published in the "Commerce Business Daily")

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Educationally Deprived Children (13.427 - 13.429) Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, Title I, P.L. 89-10 as amended	Emergency School Aid (13.525-13.532) Education Amendments of 1972, Title VII, P.L. 92-318, as amended
PURPOSE	To expand and improve educational programs to meet the needs of: 1) handicapped children enrolled in State-operated or State-supported schools (CFDA #13.427); 2) educationally disadvantaged children in low income areas (CFDA #13.428); and 3) children of migratory agricultural workers or migratory fishermen (CFDA #13.429). Programs are suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To help eliminate minority group segregation and discrimination among students and faculty in elementary and secondary schools. Program includes: 1) Basic grants to school districts (CFDA #13.525); 2) Innovative pilot projects by school districts (CFDA #13.526); 3) Grants to private nonprofit agencies, institutions and organizations and public agencies other than school districts (CFDA #13.529); 4) Bilingual-bicultural programs (CFDA #13.528); 5) Special projects at the discretion of the Assistant Secretary of Education (CFDA #13.532); and 6) Educational television (CFDA #13.530). The nonprofit program supports career orientation programs, supplemental remedial services to students, interracial cultural enrichment programs, and community activities among other types of projects.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Departments of Education in States and outlying areas may apply for annual appropriation. Local educational agencies submit project proposals to State agencies. U.S. OE Division/Telephone for additional information: CFDA #13.427, Division of Assistance to States, Bureau of Education for the Handicapped (202) 245-9405 CFDA #13.428, Division of Education for the Disadvantaged (202) 245-2722 CFDA #13.429, Division of Education for the Disadvantaged (202) 245-2427	Eligible school districts, public (other than local educational agencies) and private nonprofit agencies, institutions and organizations, and public or private nonprofit agencies or organizations capable of developing educational television programming to meet the purposes of the Act. All six programs are suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
GRANT TYPE	Formula grant program	Discretionary grant programs
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $2,446,956,424; FY 1979 - $2,914,627,143	FY 1978 - $275,500,000; FY 1979 - $290,000,000 (figures are for all 6 programs combined)
RANGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
AVERAGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	State Departments of Education Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Division and Telephone (see above) 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of School Systems Equal Educational Opportunity Programs 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-7965
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates vary among the States.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 12/4/79; annual date varies.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Environmental Education (13.522) P.L. 91-516 as amended by P.L. 93-278	Ethnic Heritage Studies (13.549) Title IX, ESEA of 1965 as amended by P.L. 92-318 and P.L. 93-380
PURPOSE	To educate the public on the problems of environmental quality and ecological balance through support of research, demonstration and pilot projects. General project grants include, but are not limited to: 1) development of curriculum materials; 2) training of educational and non-educational personnel; and 3) community education projects and elementary and secondary education projects. Minigrants (workshop projects) support workshops, seminars, symposia and conferences designed to help communities understand local environmental problems or issues. This program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To provide assistance in planning, developing, establishing, and operating ethnic heritage programs for students to learn more about their own cultural heritage and to study the contributions of other ethnic groups in the nation. Proposals must not include provision for religious workshops or instruction. Programs must include one or more of the following activities: 1) development of curriculum materials; 2) dissemination of curriculum materials; or 3) provision for training persons using, or preparing to use, such curriculum materials. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Applicants for general project grants may be institutions of higher education, state or local educational agencies, and other public and nonprofit private agencies including libraries and museums. Minigrants can be awarded to groups or organizations which have been organized and active for at least one year prior to applying.	Must be public or nonprofit private educational agency, institution, or organization including ethnic associations. Must provide plans for cooperation with persons and organizations in the ethnic group(s) studied. There must be an advisory council with representatives of the ethnic group(s) as members of the council.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $2,464,000; FY 1979 - $3,500,000	FY 1978 - $2,300,000; FY 1979 - $1,000,000
RANGE	$700 to $200,000	$10 to $50,000
AVERAGE	$35,000 (minigrants: $10,000 or less)	$46,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Education Office of Environmental Education 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9231	U.S. Office of Education Division of International Education Ethnic Heritage Studies Branch (Attn: Application Officer) 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2293
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1978 was 1/10/78; annual date varies.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is January 5, 1979.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE) (13.925) Education Amendments of 1972, Title III, Section 301; P.L. 92-318	Handicapped Early Childhood Assistance (13.444) Education of the Handicapped Act - P.L. 91-230, Title VI, Pt. C as amended by P.L. 95-49
PURPOSE	To encourage reform, innovation and improvement of postsecondary education. Priority is given to projects which relate to: 1) learner-centered change; 2) increased cost effectiveness; 3) increased diversity; and 4) needed structural change.	To develop experimental demonstration and model programs for pre-school and early education of handicapped children. Parent participation and dissemination of information to professional community as well as general public are included. Projects are for service to handicapped children from birth through eight years of age. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Applications are encouraged from broad range of postsecondary educational institutions, including profit and nonprofit, private, trade, technical and business schools, student and faculty associations, trustees, state agencies and other governmental agencies such as museums and libraries and newly formed as well as established organizations.	Grants awarded to public and nonprofit private agencies. Coordination of public schools is required.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $12,000,000; FY 1979 - $13,000,000	FY 1978 - $22,000,000; FY 1979 - $22,000,000
RANGE	$4,000 to $300,000	$50,000 to $150,000
AVERAGE	$70,000	$100,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Education (HEW) Director, Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-8091	U.S. Office of Education Division of Innovation and Development Program Development Branch Handicapped Children's Early Education Assistance 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-9722
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1978 was 1/16/78; annual date varies.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 10/18/78; annual date varies.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORI-ZATION	Handicapped Media Services and Captioned Films (13.446) Education of the Handicapped Act, Title VI, Pt. F. P.L. 91-230	Handicapped Regional Resource Centers (13.450) Education of the Handicapped Act, Title VI, Part C
PURPOSE	To provide free loan service of captioned films and instructional media for educational, cultural and vocational enrichment of handicapped people. To provide for acquiring and distributing of media and equipment. Also to provide contracts and grants for research into the use of media and to train parents, teachers and others to utilize media in their work with handicapped.	To establish regional resource centers which provide advice and technical assistance to educators for improving the education of handicapped children. To pay for all or part of the cost of establishing or operating these centers. Suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal financial assistance programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIRE-MENTS	Public and private agencies, organizations, or groups may submit proposals and applications. Definition of "handicapped" is the broadest sense including mentally retarded, deaf, speech impaired, blind, emotionally disturbed and crippled.	Institutions of higher education, State educational agencies, local educational agencies or combinations of such agencies within regions of the U.S. Can be combinations of several local agencies.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $2,000,000; FY 1979 - $3,000,000	FY 1978 - $9,750,000; FY 1979 - $9,750,000
RANGE	$1,350 to $1,650,000	$100,000 to $400,000
AVERAGE	$250,000	$375,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Education for the Handicapped Division of Media Services Captioned Films and Telecommunications Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 472-1164	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Education for the Handicapped Division of Media Services Learning Resources Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 472-1366
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 3/5/79; annual date varies.)	(Closing date for FY 1978 was 6/30/78; annual date varies.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Higher Education - Strengthening Developing Institutions (13.454) HEA 1965, Title III, P.L. 89-329, as amended	Higher Education Instructional Equipment (13.518) HEA 1965, Title VI, P.L. 89-329 as amended
PURPOSE	To assist developing colleges, as defined in the Act, in strengthening academic, administrative and/or student services so that they may compete adequately within the higher education community. There are two main thrusts: 1) basic institutional development - offering fellowships to highly qualified young faculty to teach in the developing institution and to provide money to hire emeriti professors from other colleges to teach and conduct research; 2) advanced institutional development - where with impact of Federal funds over several years will bring the institution which is almost able to compete up to the level where it can.	To improve the quality of undergraduate instruction in higher education institutions by providing matching funds for acquiring materials and equipment, and related minor remodeling. Excluded are requests for general library acquisitions, large-scale computers, general purpose furniture, radio and television broadcast apparatus (other than closed-circuit TV equipment) textbooks, recreational equipment, etc. Program suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal program.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	A college or institution of higher education that qualifies as developing. Institutions must be accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or making reasonable progress toward accreditation. Advanced programs can include new programs which are geared to serving the needs of low-income students, or programs which allow the institution to restructure itself and curriculum development.	Public and nonprofit institutions of higher education, including trade and vocational schools, or combinations of such institutions may apply. The schools must offer at least a one-year career training program to students.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	State plan formula grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $120,000,000; FY 1979 - $120,000,000	FY 1978 - $7,500,000; FY 1979 - $0
RANGE	Basic: $27,000 to $1,350,000 for a consortium Advanced: $1,000,000 to $3,000,000	$500 to $50,000; average - $10,000
AVERAGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Higher and Continuing Education Division of Institutional Development 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2418	State Board of Education or State Commission of Education Information also available from: U.S. Office of Education Office of Libraries and Learning Resources Division of Library Programs 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-5930
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates for FY 1978 were: Basic - 5/1/78, Advanced - 1/26/78; annual dates vary.)	(Closing dates vary by State. All State Commissions must have applications forwarded to U.S. Office of Education by April 1 each year.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORI-ZATION	Historic Preservation Grants-in-Aid (15.411) National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, P.L. 89-665, amended by P.L. 94-422	Indian Education - Part B (13.535) P.L. 92-319, Title IV B as amended
PURPOSE	To expand and maintain the National Register of Historic Places at the national, State and local levels; to provide matching acquisition and development grants-in-aid, through the States, to public and private parties for preservation of National Register-listed properties. Funds may be used to match costs of the acquisition and development of historic property (e.g., research, preparation of plans and specifications, project costs). Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To plan, develop, and implement programs and projects for the improvement of educational opportunities for Indian children. May be used for pilot and demonstration projects which are designed to demonstrate the effectiveness of programs for improving educational opportunities for Indian children. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal program.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIRE-MENTS	States and Territories as defined in the National Historic Preservation Act operating programs administered by a State Historic Preservation Officer.	State and local educational agencies, Federally supported elementary and secondary schools for Indian children, Tribal and other Indian community organizations and institutions of higher education.
GRANT TYPE	State plan formula grant program.	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $45,000,000; FY 1979 - $45,000,000	FY 1978 - $10,080,000; FY 1979 - $10,060,000
RANGE	$500 to $500,000	$5,580 to $400,000
AVERAGE	$25,000	$155,658
APPLICATION SOURCE	State Historic Preservation Offices Information also available from: U.S. Department of the Interior Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service Washington, D.C. 20240 Telephone: (202) 523-5054	U.S. Office of Education Office of Indian Education 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-8298
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates for FY 1979 are December 31, 1978 and September 30, 1979.)	(Tentative closing date for FY 1979 is 1/8/79; annual date varies.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Inexpensive Book Distribution Program for Reading Motivation (13.533) Education Amendments of 1974, Title VII, P.L. 94-194 as amended.	Institute of Museum Services (13.923) Title II of the Arts and Humanities Cultural Affairs Act of 1976, P.L. 94-462
PURPOSE	To encourage reading in children, age 3 and above, who are eligible for enrollment in pre-school, elementary and secondary schools by providing matching funds for the purchase of books to be distributed free to the children. Primary objective is to provide books for personal ownership by the children; however, books may also be lent to the children. A wide variety of books must be provided and a minimum number of books per child at a minimum number of distribution periods.	The program provides support to: 1) help ease the increasing operating costs museums must bear as a result of their increasing use by the public; 2) encourage and assist museums in their educational and conservation roles; and 3) assist museums in modernizing their facilities so that they may be better able to conserve our cultural, historic, and scientific heritage. The program provides construction, operational, and project grants to museums which show need or make a case for program support; in order of funding priority (based on FY 1978).
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	The Office of Education, Right to Read Office, contracts with Reading is Fundamental (RIF) which in turn sub-contracts with public agencies interested in operating reading motivation programs. State and local government agencies, school systems, individual schools, public libraries and private nonprofit groups. Matching funds can be from donations by individuals, organizations, businesses, State and local government funds.	Any museum located in the States and Territories, a public or private nonprofit agency, such as a municipality, college or university, which is responsible for the operation of a museum may apply on behalf of the museum. A museum is defined by the Act as a public or private nonprofit institution which is organized on a permanent basis for essentially educational or aesthetic purposes and which, using a professional staff, owns or uses tangible objects, whether animate or inanimate, cares for these objects, and exhibits them to the public on a regular basis. A museum must have at least one staff member, paid or unpaid who devotes his time primarily to the acquisition, care or exhibition of objects.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $6,000,000; FY 1979 - $6,000,000	FY 1978 - $3,700,000; FY $1979 - $7,400,000
RANGE	Minimum within a single contract period -$100; maximum of $150,000.	$1,000 to $25,000
AVERAGE	Not Applicable	Not available
APPLICATION SOURCE	Reading is Fundamental (RIF) 475 L'Enfant, Suite 4800 Smithsonian Institution Washington, D.C. 20560 Telephone: (202) 381-6117	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Education Institute of Museum Services 200 Independence Avenue, S.W. Room 326 Washington, D.C. 20201 Telephone: (202) 245-6753
(CLOSING DATE)	(There are no closing dates or deadlines.)	(Closing date varies. Tentative deadline for 1979 is March 9, 1979.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Law Enforcement Assistance -- Discretionary (16.501) Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, P.L. 90-351 as amended; Crime Control Act of 1976, P.L. 94-503 as amended; and other similar laws.	Law Enforcement Assistance -- Technical (16.503) Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968; P.L. 90-351 as amended; Crime Control Act of 1976, P.L. 94-503 as amended; and other similar laws.
PURPOSE	To assist State and local governments in the improvement of law enforcement and criminal justice system, to encourage research and demonstration projects using new methods in preventing and reducing crime. Part C includes support for juvenile justice system, public education relating to crime prevention, and programs to help make the public aware of cooperation with law enforcement and criminal justice system. Part C funds can be used for materials and projects for people in half-way houses. Part E is designed to support correction programs and construction projects. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	To disseminate knowledge, skills, and know-how and to further disperse technological advances within the criminal justice system. Provides for technical assistance, consultant services and for technical publications on the major areas of crime control (i.e. police, courts, corrections, organized crime, etc.). Has been used to sponsor publication of numerous technical manuals and monographs and to establish the National Criminal Justice Reference Service.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Part C: States, State agencies or combinations of States or state agencies, nonprofit organizations; local units of government; combinations of local units of government or State planning agencies. Part E: State planning agencies; local units of government; combinations of local units of government, or nonprofit organizations. Projects must be consistent with the State plan and be incorporated into the State plan. Grantees must provide a non-Federal contribution of 10% except for Part C construction projects where the contribution must be 50%.	Any State, unit of general local government, combinations of States or units of local government, private agencies, organizations or institutions. Technical assistance requests are first sent to the appropriate State planning agency which may provide the assistance or forward the request to the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - Pt. C - $55,640,000; Pt. E - $53,253,000; FY 1979 - Pt. C - $44,773,000; Pt. E - $29,849000	FY 1978 - $74,624,000; FY 1979 - $74,624,000
RANGE	$1,500 to $7,100,000	Range varies depending on the project
AVERAGE	$309,000	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Department of Justice Law Enforcement Assistance Administration Office of Criminal Justice Programs Washington, D.C. 20531 Telephone: (202) 376-3820	U.S. Department of Justice Law Enforcement Assistance Administration Office of Criminal Justice Programs 633 Indiana Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20531 Telephone: (202) 376-3820
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date varies according to program.)	(There is no closing date.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Metric Education (13.561) (Special Projects Act, Sec. 403, ESEA, as amended)	National Historic Landmark (15.414) Historic Sites Act of 1935 (P.L. 74-292) and National Historic Preservation Act of October 15, 1966, P.L. 89-665
PURPOSE	To assist State and local educational agencies, institutions of higher education, and public and private nonprofit organizations in teaching students, teachers, parents and other adults to use the revised Metric system. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To study, identify, recognize honorifically, and encourage preservation of nationally significant historic properties which are tangible reminders of American heritage, and to make these findings available to the public in published form. Qualifying institutions should examine Historic Preservation Grants-in-Aid Program (CFDA #15.411) for possible support in renovation/remodeling projects.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State and local educational agencies, colleges and universities, public and private nonprofit organizations, groups and institutions. Local educational agencies must notify their State Department of Education of their intent to submit a proposal.	Anyone may suggest that a property be included in an appropriate National Historic Landmark theme study, provided the property has potential national significance with relation to some broad facet of American history. Properties of State or local interest only do not qualify.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $2,090,000; FY 1979 - $2,090,000	FY 1978 - $539,800; FY 1979 - $339,800
RANGE	$11,500 to $72,054	Not applicable
AVERAGE	$27,867	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Occupational and Adult Education Metric Education Program 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-3352	State Historic Preservation Officer Information also available from: U.S. Department of the Interior Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service Washington, D.C. 20240 Telephone: (202) 523-5295
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 1/12/79; annual date varies.)	(There is no closing date.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	National Historical Publications and Records Grants (39.006) P.L. 93-536 and P.L. 90-620	Promotion of the Arts -- Challenge Grants (45.013) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended.
PURPOSE	To carry out the National Historical Documents Program through assistance in the preservation of historically valuable documents. Funds may be used to collect, arrange, describe and preserve records of historical interest and for book or microform edition publication of papers/documents of national historical significance. Funds are not available for purchasing collections, for building programs, oral history projects or production of films or videotapes. Program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.	The program's overall goals are: to encourage cultural organizations and institutions to increase their level of continuing support by encouraging new and increased sources of contributed income; to enable cultural organizations to increase audience participation and appreciation; to foster greater citizen involvement in planning the community's cultural development; and to stimulate greater cooperation among cultural institutions.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State and local government agencies; educational and other nonprofit institutions (e.g., archives, colleges, historical societies, libraries, museums, universities, university presses). Individuals are not eligible.	Nonprofit organizations (those organizations to whom deductions qualify as a charitable deduction under Section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954). Includes: local governments, State arts agencies; cultural organizations or groups thereof that have demonstrated a commitment to aesthetic quality and have programs of national or regional impact. Individuals are not eligible.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $3,500,000; FY 1979 - $4,000,000	FY 1978 - $18,000,000; FY 1979 - $30,000,000
RANGE	$5,000 to $90,000	$30,000 to $1,500,000
AVERAGE	$25,000	$457,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Historical Publications and Records Commission National Archives and Records Service National Archives Building Washington, D.C. 20408 Telephone: (202) 724-1083	National Endowment for the Arts Office of Special Projects Challenge Grants Coordinator 2401 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 632-4783
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates for FY 1979 Records Grants are October 1, 1978, February 1, 1979, and June 1, 1979. There are no closing dates for Publications Grants.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 was 12/19/77; closing date for FY 1980 is December 1, 1978.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Arts -- Education (45.003) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-219, as amended	Promotion of the Arts -- Literature (45.004) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended
PURPOSE	To provide grants for special innovative projects in arts education such as the placement of professional artists in elementary and secondary schools and projects which bring professional artists and people of all ages together in arts activities beyond the traditional school environment. Funds are not available for rehabilitation, construction, study abroad, or scholarships.	To provide fellowships for creative writers to produce new works, and for readings and residencies in elementary and secondary schools, colleges, libraries, museums, art centers, prisons, hospitals, and other institutions. Program also supports organizations, such as small literary presses and national literary service organizations, devoted to the development of the literary arts in America.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Nonprofit organizations (if donations to such organizations qualify as a charitable deduction under Section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954) including States, local governments, and State arts agencies.	Nonprofit organizations if donations to such organizations qualify as a charitable deduction under Section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. Includes States, local governments, and State arts agencies. Grant awards are made to individuals who are U.S. citizens and who, by law, must be of exceptional talent.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Project Grants
OBLIGATION	FY 78 - $115,000,000; FY 79 - $149,000,000	FY 1978 - $3,690,000; FY 1979 - $4,100,000
RANGE	$2,000 to $80,000	$500 to $400,000
AVERAGE	$15,000	Individuals - $10,000 Organizations - $8,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Arts 2401 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 634-6028	National Endowment for the Arts Literature Program 2401 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 634-6044
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates vary.)	(Deadline differs for various projects. Information available from headquarters office listed above.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Arts -- Media Arts (45.006) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended	Promotion of the Arts -- Museums (45.012) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended.
PURPOSE	To encourage the creation of new works of high aesthetic quality in film, radio and video, produced by individuals and groups for exhibition and dissemination of media arts. (The Endowment also assists the American Film Institute which carries out a number of assistance programs for film.) Support is available for arts programming and experimental arts projects in film, videotape, television and radio.	To support essential activities of American museums including mounting of special exhibitions, training of museum professionals, renovation (climate control, security, storage), purchase of works by living American artists, and cataloging. Consultation services for a specific project, museum education and public service programs, and establishment of suitable museum library supplies are among the projects eligible for funding.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Nonprofit organizations if donations to such organizations qualify as a charitable deduction under Section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. Includes: States, local governments, and State arts agencies. Individual grant awards are made only to U.S. citizens who by law must be of exceptional talent.	Nonprofit organizations if donations to such organizations qualify as a charitable deduction under Section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. Includes States, local governments, and State arts agencies. Grant awards are also given to individuals who are U.S. citizens and by law must be of exceptional talent.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $8,010,000; FY 1979 - $8,400,000	FY 1978 - $11,202,000; FY 1979 - $11,382,000
RANGE	Individuals - $2,500 to $20,000 Organizations - $2,000 to $500,000	Individuals - $1,100 to $17,895 Organizations - $370 to $500,000
AVERAGE	Individuals - $7,500 Organizations - $15,000	$20,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Arts Media Arts Program 2401 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 634-6300	National Endowment for the Arts Museum Program 2401 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 634-6361
(CLOSING DATE)	(Deadline differs for various projects. Specific information available from headquarters office listed above.)	(Deadline differs for various projects. Specific information available from headquarters office listed above.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Arts -- Special Projects (45.011) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended	Promotion of the Humanities -- Challenge Grant (45.130) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended
PURPOSE	To provide grants for special projects which do not fit other Endowment program guidelines, including: projects which involve two or more art forms or program areas; projects that assist, foster, and make more available the diverse traditional American folk arts throughout the country; and projects which involve the entire community in determining how the arts can become an integral part of their community life. Funds for the presentation of folk arts through festivals, exhibits, and media programming and dissemination are available. Grants are also made for the development of organizations professionally involved in documentation of folk art and artists.	To challenge institutions to increase the levels of continuing support and to increase the range of contributions in order to secure financial stability to maintain existing services and resources. Funds may be used to: a) provide administrative and management improvements, particularly in the field of long-range planning; b) develop or strengthen fund-raising apparatus or establish expertise in attracting outside support; c) underwrite operational expenses; d) stimulate greater cooperation among cultural institutions serving a community; and e) foster greater citizen participation in and appreciation of humanities programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Nonprofit organizations, including States, local governments, and State arts agencies, if donations to such organizations qualify as a charitable deduction under Section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. Individuals are not eligible.	Any nonprofit humanities institution, association or organization is eligible to apply, including: educational institutions, libraries, museums, historical societies, film/television production centers, advanced study centers, research organizations, scholarly societies and presses, and consortia of such groups. Institutions whose scope encompasses activities outside the humanities may apply for a challenge grant to cover the cost of only the humanities component.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Direct payments for specific use with matching requirements
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $3,273,012; FY 1979 - $2,500,000	FY 1978 - $17,500,000; FY 1979 - $27,000,000
RANGE	$1,080 to $100,000	$2,000 to $1,000,000
AVERAGE	$15,000	$200,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Arts Office of Special Projects 2401 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 634-6020	National Endowment for the Humanities Challenge Grant Program Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0267
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates are: October 1, 1978, for consideration for April 1, 1979; January 1, 1979, for consideration for June 1, 1979; April 15, 1979, for consideration for October 1, 1979.)	(Closing date is January 15, 1979, for consideration for late Summer of 1979.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Humanities -- Cultural Institutions (45.117) National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended	Promotion of the Humanities -- Higher Education Projects (45.111) National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209
PURPOSE	To help public libraries, museums, and other cultural institutions become centers of formal education for their communities. Assistance is available for salaries and program benefits, files and honoraria, educational materials, office supplies and services, travel, and other expenses involved in the development of formal educational programs.	To provide for the development and testing of imaginative approaches to education in the humanities by supporting demonstration projects concerned with the design of model courses or programs, the development of curriculum materials, and increased collaboration among educational and other cultural institutions. Funds may be utilized to hold institutes to improve the teaching of humanities, develop teaching materials, and plan, conduct, and evaluate curricular reform.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Public libraries and museums.	Educational institutions and nonprofit educational organizations.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $2,400,000; FY 1979 - $2,800,000	FY 1978 - $3,500,000; FY 1979 - $5,000,000
RANGE	$325,000 to $375,000	$1,000 to $100,000
AVERAGE	$350,000	$82,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Education Programs Cultural Institutions Program Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0311	National Endowment for the Humanities Education Programs Higher Education Projects Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0373
(CLOSING DATE)	(October 15, 1978 for programs beginning after April 1979.)	(Closing date: October 15, 1978, for consideration for April 1979; April 1, 1979 for consideration for October 1979.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Humanities -- Humanities Institutes (45.120) National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended	Promotion of the Humanities -- NEH Youth Projects (45.135) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended
PURPOSE	To encourage excellence in teaching and to promote serious attention to central issues in the humanities by bringing groups of college faculty into residence for periods ranging from four weeks to one year for intensive study and curriculum planning. Funds may be used for salaries of a small staff, stipends for faculty fellows, library materials, supplies, travel, consultants and indirect costs.	To support a wide variety of innovative humanities projects which provide educational opportunities for children and teenagers during their out-of-school hours. Programs may be sponsored by educational, cultural, scholarly, civic, media or youth organizations, and are to be carried out under the direction of experienced professionals in the humanities. Funding is available for projects which enable young people to increase their understanding of the experiences that have helped to shape our culture. Grants are awarded for research, education, film, and community projects in one or more of the fields of humanities.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Colleges and universities with demonstrated faculty interest and expertise and appropriate library facilities.	Entities of State and local governments, nonprofit organizations and academic institutions, and individuals who are U.S. citizens, native residents of U.S. territorial possessions or foreign nationals who have been residents in the U.S. for at least three years immediately preceding the date of the application and affiliated with a U.S. institution or organization.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $2,000,000; FY 1979 - $1,600,000	FY 1978 - $650,000; FY 1979 - $1,000,000
RANGE	Not applicable	Awards are made according to size and needs of group conducting projects.
AVERAGE	For short institutes - $75,000 For one-year institutes - $500,000	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Education Programs Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0311	National Endowment for the Humanities Office of Youth Programs 806 15th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0396
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates are January 1, 1979, and July 1, 1979)	(October 15, 1978 for consideration in May 1979; February 1, 1979 for consideration in August 1979.)

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PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Humanities -- Public Program Development (45.113) National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended	Promotion of the Humanities -- Research Collections: Development, Access and Use (45.124) National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended
PURPOSE	To demonstrate new approaches in relating the humanities to the general public through exemplary projects drawing upon resources and scholars in the humanities fields. Among the priorities are: public library projects that increase the availability of humanities programming and materials to the public through existing resources, and projects undertaken by national organizations to bring humanities programming to members and affiliates. Funds may be used for personnel and other costs of planning, production or presentation. Funds are not available for construction costs, museum and library acquisition, or purchase of permanent equipment.	To fund projects which will make significant resources available for scholarly research in the humanities and which will assist scholars using these resources to contribute to knowledge and understanding of the humanities. Support is available for projects designed to: a) organize nationally or regionally significant library and archival collections; b) prepare finding guides for important collections; c) improve collections by locating rare resource materials; and d) make use of significant collections for collaborative research work.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Nonprofit organizations and institutions (e.g., libraries, museums, educational television stations, public and private colleges, universities, and community colleges, among others).	U.S. citizens and residents, U.S. nonprofit organizations, and academic institutions are eligible. Foreign institutions are not eligible and foreign nationals are also ineligible unless affiliated with a U.S. institution or a resident of the U.S. for three consecutive years prior to time of application.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $5,000,000; FY 1979 - $6,000,000	FY 1978 - $3,000,000; FY 1979 - $3,000,000
RANGE	$10,000 to $300,000	$1,500 to $300,000
AVERAGE	$60,000	$75,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Public Programs -- Program Development 806 15th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0398	National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Research Grants Research Collections Program Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0341
(CLOSING DATE)	(Letter of intent should be submitted preliminary to application process; quarterly closing date -- December 1, 1978; February 26, 1979; June 1, 1979; and August 24, 1979.)	(Closing date is March 1, 1979, for consideration for August 1979.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Humanities -- Research Materials Program (45.126) National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended	Promotion of the Humanities -- Special Projects (45.131) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended
PURPOSE	To support projects which create reference works and resources for schorlarly research in the humanities, including grants for: a) basic reference works for humanistic research such as atlases, bibliographies, source guides, linguistic grammars; b) editing of literary and philosophical writings, as well as historical manuscripts and correspondence of major figures; and c) annotated translations of texts from all disciplines relevant to the humanities. Basic costs of tools, editing, and translation projects, including travel, per diem payments, supplies, and appropriate research assistance are eligible expenses.	To expand National Endowment for the Humanities' area of operation and means of conveying the humanities through support of innovative projects that are not directly applicable to existing NEH program guidelines or that fall between two or more existing programs. As the experimental unit of NEH, funds may be used to: a) consider new areas not covered by other NEH programs and to develop model projects in these areas; b) to stimulate NEH thinking on new program areas through special conferences and projects; and c) to encourage in major urban areas an awareness of the uses of the humanities through development of educational humanities programs for cable television, nonprofit professional theaters, and opera companies.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	U.S. citizens and residents, U.S. nonprofit organizations, and academic institutions are eligible. Foreign institutions are not eligible and foreign nationals are also ineligible unless affiliated with a U.S. institution or a resident of the U.S. for three consecutive years prior to the time of application.	Entities of State and local governments, U.S. citizens and residents, U.S. nonprofit organizations and academic institutions are eligible. Foreign institutions are not eligible and foreign nationals are also ineligible unless affilicted with a U.S. institution or a resident of the U.S. for three consecutive years prior to time of application.
GRANT TYPE	Projects grants	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $5,050,000; FY 1979 - $5,700,000	FY 1978 - $1,736,024; FY 1979 - $3,500,000
RANGE	$2,500 to $300,000	$5,000 to $500,000
AVERAGE	$40,000	$50,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Research Grants Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-1672	National Endowment for the Humanities Office of Special Projects 806 15th Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0369
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates vary according to program.)	(Preliminary inquiries may be submitted at any time. Application deadlines are April 1, June 1, September 1 and December 1.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Promotion of the Humanities -- State Programs (45.129) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209, as amended by the Arts, Humanities and Cultural Affairs Act of 1976, P.L. 94-462	Promotion of the Humanities -- Youthgrants (45.115) National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, P.L. 89-209 as amended
PURPOSE	To promote local and statewide humanities programming through grants to humanities committees within each of the States for their discretion in regranting to local organizations, institutions and groups.	To encourage students and other young persons to initiate and conduct humanities projects. Grants are awarded for research, education, film, and community projects in one or more of the fields in the humanities: history, philosophy, language, linguistics, literature, archeology, jurisprudence, art history, etc. Funds may be used to cover participants' stipends, adviser honoraria, travel, supplies and materials, clerical support, and rental of space and equipment. General educational or training expenses, performance or creative works in the arts, construction and purchase of equipment are not eligible for funding.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Volunteer committees in the several states which conform to the requirements of P.L. 94-462. Only one entity in each State may receive assistance as the State humanities committee for the program. Nonprofit organizations, institutions, and groups apply directly to the State humanities committee.	Entities of State and local governments, nonprofit U.S. organizations, academic institutions and individuals who are U.S. citizens, native residents of U.S. territorial possessions, or foreign nationals affiliated with a U.S. organization or who have been residents in the U.S. for at least three years immediately preceding the date of the application. Youthgrants are normally awarded for projects developed by young persons in their teens and early twenties. Youthgrants may not be awarded to anyone over the age of 30.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $20,700,000; FY 1979 - $20,100,000	FY 1978 - $350,000; FY 1979 - $400,000
RANGE	$250,000 to $700,000	Up to $10,000
AVERAGE	Not applicable	$2,500 or less for individual projects
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Endowment for the Humanities Division of State Programs Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0286	National Endowment for the Humanities Office of Youth Programs Washington, D.C. 20506 Telephone: (202) 724-0396
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing dates vary according to State.)	(November 15,1978 for consideration in May 1979; April 15, 1979 for consideration in October 1979.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Public Service Education (13.555) Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, Title IX, Parts A and C	Public Works Employment Act (No CFDA #) Public Works Employment Act of 1976, Title I, Local Public Works Program, P.L. 94-369
PURPOSE	To support through fellowships, graduate or professional study for persons who plan to pursue a career in public service (Part C) and to assist institutions of higher education to establish, strengthen, and improve programs of public service education (Part A), including the preparation for leadership and management careers in all levels of government and careers in nonprofit community agencies. Program grants may be used for faculty improvement, curriculum development, cooperative arrangements, strengthening administration, or acquisition of instructional equipment and materials.	To increase employment in high unemployment areas through direct grants to local government for public works and public service projects. Two rounds of funding have allocated a total of $6 billion to local public works projects, including a number of library construction projects.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	For Part A and C grants, any accredited institution of higher education with a graduate or professional program of public service education leading to an advanced degree (except a medical degree) is eligible. To obtain Part C fellowships from an institution an applicant must be a citizen or native of the U.S. or, if an alien, have permanent resident status, and must be accepted by an approved institution as a candidate for an advanced degree.	Eligibility requirements will be announced if the Public Works Employment Act, Title I, is extended.
GRANT TYPE	Institutional grants; Fellowships	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	Institutional grants: FY 1978 - $1,354,810; FY 1979 - $4,000,000 (grants and fellowships) Fellowships: FY 1978 - $2,565,550	FY 1977-78 - $6 billion was awarded
RANGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
AVERAGE	Institutional grants: $18,454 Fellowships: $7,800	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Higher and Continuing Education Graduate Training Branch 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2448	Local and State governing officials Information also available from: U.S. Department of Commerce Economic Development Administration Regional Offices
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 12/22/78; annual date varies.)	(Extension of Program is under consideration.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Revenue Sharing (No CFDA #) State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act, P.L. 92-512, as amended	Right to Read -- Elimination of Illiteracy (13.533) Education Amendments of 1974, P.L. 93-380, Title VII, as amended by P.L. 94-194
PURPOSE	To provide significant additional Federal financial assistance to States and local governments under conditions that will promote a maximum amount of local flexibility and discretion in the delivery of governmental services to citizens. (Note: When first enacted, the Act specified eight priority categories, one of which was libraries; however the 1976 amendments have eliminated all priority areas. General revenue sharing still remains a possible source of increased library funding, both for construction purposes, and operating expenses.)	To provide services and resources to encourage educational institutions, governmental agencies and private organizations to improve and expand their activities relating to reading. Used for training local Right-to-Read administrators to exert leadership in finding solutions to the literacy problem in the State; for developing innovative programs in reading readiness for preschool children; and to provide for the distribution of books to children. Includes the Reading Academy Program which provides reading assistance and instruction to youths and adults who are not served by other programs either in or out of formal schools. This program is suitable for joint funding with other closely related Federal programs.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State and local units of government.	Any public or non-public school or school district officially recognized by the State Depart ment of Education; any State Department of Education in the U.S. or its possessions; any accredited college or university, or any community agency eligible to receive Federal funds (including libraries).
GRANT TYPE **OBLIGATION** **RANGE** **AVERAGE**	Formula grants--Over $6 billion per year is distributed to the States and to approximately 39,000 local units of government. FY 1978 - $6,850,000,000; FY 1979 - $6,850,000,000 Not applicable Not applicable	Discretionary grant program FY 1978 - $27,000,000; FY 1979 - $27,000,000 $10,000 to $150,000 $60,000
APPLICATION SOURCE **(CLOSING DATE)**	For State level revenue sharing funds: The Governor's office. For local revenue sharing funds: the Mayor's office. General information available from: Department of the Treasury Office of Revenue Sharing Washington, D.C. 20226 Telephone: (202) 634-5163	U.S. Office of Education National Right to Read Office 400 Maryland Ave., SW. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-8537 (Closing date for FY 1979 is 1/31/79; annual date varies.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Science for Citizens (47.038) National Science Foundation Act of 1950 with amendments through August 15, 1977	Science Information (No CFDA #) National Science Foundation
PURPOSE	To increase the knowledgeable participation of scientists and nonscientists in the resolution of public policy issues involving science and technology. The focus is on providing scientific expertise to the public promptly and where it is needed most. Funds may be used to pay for costs necessary for research or studies, expendable equipment and supplies, and publication costs. Projects must have adequate access to scientific and technical information and expertise at an appropriate level, and be prepared to show citizens how such information can be of use to them. They must provide balanced and objective presentation of the issues.	To support research and development activities designed to improve the process of scientific and technical communication and scientific and technical information services. Areas supported are: 1) Information sciences - research, development and application; 2) Access improvement - getting newly discovered information into the public record; 3) User requirements - development of curricula, etc; and 4) Management studies and coordination.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Public and private colleges and universities, independent nonprofit organizations, professional societies. A preliminary proposal must be submitted before a formal proposal is developed.	Professional scientific and technical societies, colleges and universities, profit and nonprofit institutions and organizations.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $1,700,000; FY 1979 - $2,400,000	FY 1977 - $4,5538,000
RANGE	$5,000 to $225,000	Not applicable
AVERAGE	$42,000	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	National Science Foundation Office of Science and Society Washington, D.C. 20550 Telephone: (202) 282-7770	National Science Foundation Division of Information Science and Technology Washington, D.C. 20550 Telephone: (202) 632-5834
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date varies according to program.)	(Closing date for FY 1979was 6/30/78; annual date varies.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Solar Heating Demonstrations (No CFDA #) Solar Energy Research, Development and Demonstration Act, P.L. 93-473	Special Programs for the Aging -- State Agency Activities and Area Planning and Social Service Programs (13.633) Older Americans Act of 1965, Title III, P.L. 89-73 as amended
PURPOSE	To demonstrate feasibility of currently available solar heating/cooling and hot water systems. Grants cover about one-third of incremental cost of a solar engineering system over the cost of a project without a solar system.	To provide assistance to State and area organizations for developing comprehensive and coordinated services for older persons with the following goals: 1) to secure and maintain maximum independence and dignity in a home environment for those capable of caring for themselves; and 2) to provide opportunities for employment and volunteer activities for older citizens in their own communities.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Library buildings are among those buildings eligible for solar demonstration grants. New buildings and renovations are eligible. Cycles I-III of grant awards are closed. Applications for Cycle IV should be available in October 1978.	All States and Territories with approved State plans and State agencies on Aging designated by the Governor.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	State plan formula grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $10,700,000; FY 1979 - $4,000,000	FY 1978 - $151,000,000; FY 1979 - $151,000,000
RANGE	Not applicable	Not applicable
AVERAGE	$156,000	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	U.S. Department of Energy National Solar Heating and Cooling Information Center P.O. Box 1607 Rockville, MD 20850 Telephone: 800 -- 523-2929, PA residents call: 800 -- 462-4983	State Agency on Aging Information also available from: Department of Health, Education, and Welfare Administration on Aging Office of Human Development Services Washington, D.C. 20201 Telephone: (202) 472-3057
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for Cycle IV is October 1978.)	(Annual closing date varies among States.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Special Programs for the Aging -- Training (13.637) Older Americans Act of 1965, Title IV A, P.L. 89-73 as amended	Teacher Centers (13.416) HEA, 1965, Title V, Pt. B as amended
PURPOSE	To improve the quality of service for programs to older Americans by insuring qualified persons to staff aging programs. Programs may be improved through development of in-service training, career training, curriculum materials, and related activities for persons preparing to work in the field of aging. The Administration on Aging has identified library science as one of a number of disciplines that would be appropriate for inclusion in such a training program. Program is suitable for joint funding with closely related Federal programs.	To meet the needs of elementary and secondary school students, this program assists local educational agencies and institutions of higher education in operating teacher centers designed to improve school curricula and provide for in-service development of teachers.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	State agencies on aging, State and local educational agencies, institutions of higher education, and other public or nonprofit private agencies, organizations or institutions may apply for a grant.	Local educational agencies and public and private institutions of higher education. State agencies provide technical assistance and State agencies screen and review applications.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $17,000,000; FY 1979 - $17,000,000	FY 1978 - $8,250,000; FY 1979 - $10,250,000
RANGE	Not applicable	$5,000 to $250,000
AVERAGE	Not applicable	$140,000
APPLICATION SOURCE	Department of Health, Education and Welfare Administration on Aging Office of Human Development 330 Independence Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20201 Telephone: (202) 472-3050	U.S. Office of Education Bureau of Occupational and Adult Education Division of Educational Systems Development Teacher Centers Program 1832 M Street, N.W., Suite 809 Washington, D.C. 20036 Telephone: (202) 653-5839
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date varies by program.)	(Closing date for FY 1979 is 3/1/79 to USOE; however, to States - 1/31/79; annual date varies.)

	A	B
PROGRAM (CFDA NO.) AUTHORIZATION	Telecommunications Demonstrations (13.680) Educational Broadcasting and Telecommunications Act of 1976. P.L. 94-309	Women's Educational Equity (13.565) Women's Educational Equity Act of 1974, Section 408 of the Education Amendments of 1974, P.L. 93-380
PURPOSE	To promote the development of non-broadcast telecommunications facilities and services to permit transmission, distribution, and delivery of health, education, and social service information. Supports transmission system demonstrations (i.e., satellite, cable, microwave, laser, etc.) but does not support programming production, acquisition of studio production facilities or operating funds for expanding systems.	To support development and implementation of programs and activities designed to provide educational equity for women. Projects must contribute to capacity- building in this area by producing exemplary results and/or products to be used by organizations, agencies, and individuals other than the award recipient and which will result in substantial national impact. A broad range of activities targetted on eradicating sex bias are eligible for support including: a) the development, evaluation, and dissemination of curricula, textbooks, and other educational materials; b) preservice and inservice training for educational personnel; c) research and development and other educational activities; d) guidance and counseling activities; e) educational activities to increase employment opportunities for adult women; and f) the expansion and improvement of educational programs and activities for women in vocational education, career education, physical education, and educational administration.
ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	Public or private nonprofit agencies, organizations and institutions, including State and local governments and Territories or possessions of the United States.	Public agencies, private nonprofit organizations, and individuals.
GRANT TYPE	Discretionary grant program	Discretionary grant/contract program
OBLIGATION	FY 1978 - $1,000,000; FY 1978 - $1,000,000	FY 1978 - $8,085,000; FY 1979 - $4,100,000
RANGE	$50,000 to $200,000	Grants - $10,000 to $480,000 Contracts - $14,800 to $95,000
AVERAGE	$120,000	Not applicable
APPLICATION SOURCE	Department of Health, Education, and Welfare Office of Telecommunications Policy 200 Independence Avenue, S.W. Room 409E, Humphrey Building Washington, D.C. 20201 Telephone: (202) 245-1891	U.S. Office of Education Women's Program Staff 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202 Telephone: (202) 245-2181
(CLOSING DATE)	(Closing date for FY 1978 was 8/14/78; annual date varies.)	(Closing dates for FY 1979 are 11/17/78 and 2/28/79)

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